Illinois County Highlights

	Census of Agriculture (1997)	Value	Rank	Crops (2000)	Acres <u>Harv.</u>	Yield	Prod.	Rank
	Average Age of Farm Operator	55.7		Corn, Bu.	149,600	174	26,030,400	20
Pike	Number of Farms:	1,028	19	Soybeans,	108,900	43	4,682,700	44
County	By Value of Sales:			Wheat, Bu.	11,100	60	666,000	27
	Less than \$10,000	367		Sorghum, Bu.	1,500	66	99,000	21
	\$10,000 - \$99,999	381		All Hay, Tons	18,000	2.93	52,800	11
	\$100,000 or more	280		Oats, Bu.	N/A			
	By Size:					No. of		
	1 - 49 Acres	169		<u>Livestock</u>		<u>Head</u>		<u>Rank</u>
	50 - 499 Acres	588	588 Hogs & Pigs (12/01/	2/01/00)	89,100		14	
	500 or more Acres	271		Cattle & Calves	(01/01/01)	25,300		14
	Land in Farms, Acres	461,360	9	Beef Cows (01/0	01/01)	12,800		5
	Avg. Value of Land & Bldgs./Acre	\$1,394	84					
	Avg. Value of Ag Products Sold/Farm	\$120,469	47	Cash Receipts	(2000)	<u>\$1,000</u>		<u>Rank</u>
	Avg. Farm Prod. Expenses/Farm	\$83,137	40	Crops		63,442		32
	Avg. Net Cash Return from Sales/Farm	\$36,278	47	Livestock		31,926		15

					Acres			
	Census of Agriculture (1997)	<u>Value</u>	Rank	<u>Crops (2000)</u>	Harv.	<u>Yield</u>	Prod.	<u>Rank</u>
	Average Age of Farm Operator	57.2		Corn, Bu.	8,800	96	844,600	100
Pope	Number of Farms:	282	94	Soybeans,	8,900	27	240,300	100
County	By Value of Sales:			Wheat, Bu.	N/A			
	Less than \$10,000	205		Sorghum, Bu.	N/A			
	\$10,000 - \$99,999	67		All Hay, Tons	N/A			
	\$100,000 or more	10		Oats, Bu.	N/A			
	By Size:					No. of		
	1 - 49 Acres	37		Livestock		<u>Head</u>		<u>Rank</u>
	50 - 499 Acres	211		Hogs & Pigs (12	/01/00)	2,100		97
	500 or more Acres	34		Cattle & Calves	(01/01/01)	7,600		65
	Land in Farms, Acres	72,233	97	Beef Cows (01/01/01)		3,800		46
	Avg. Value of Land & Bldgs./Acre	\$834	102					
	Avg. Value of Ag Products Sold/Farm	\$16,738	102	Cash Receipts (2000)	<u>\$1,000</u>		<u>Rank</u>
	Avg. Farm Prod. Expenses/Farm	\$13,104		Crops		2,829		101
	Avg. Net Cash Return from Sales/Farm	\$169	101	Livestock		2,382		96